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This declaration is for a national stage of PCT application.

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TITLE OF INVENTION

CONTACT STRUCTURE FOR AN ELECTRIC II/VI SEMICONDUCTOR COMPONENT AND A
METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF THE SAME

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

The specification was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. EP00/11488 filed on November 17, 2000.

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56, and which is material to the examination of this application, namely, information where there is a substantial likelihood that a reasonable Examiner would consider it important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue as a patent.

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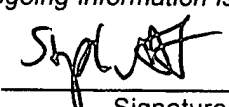
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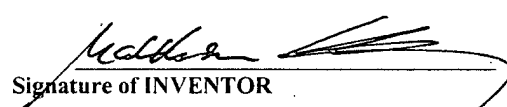
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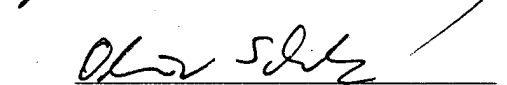
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